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DRAMATIC SANTA MARIA TURN

New Ruler of Brazil Offers Free Haven

RIO DE JANEIRO (AP). — Brazil's incoming President yesterday offered free haven to Portuguese rebel leader Henrique Galvao to sail the seized Santa Maria into a Brazilian port for safe discharge of the 588 captive passengers.

President-elect Janio Quadros, who takes office at noon tomorrow, gave assurances that he will not seize the 16,000-ton liner for return to the Portuguese owners, as the outgoing administration has threatened to do.

The dramatic invitation to Galvao, which Mr. Quadros issued informally through newsmen in Sao Paulo, changed the complexion of the case and brightened prospects for success in the U.S. Navy's efforts to get the passengers, while included 42 Americans ashore unharm.

It came while Galvao, a hawk-faced leader of a 70-year-old band that seized the liner in the Caribbean last Sunday, cruised in apparently aimless patterns in equatorial waters off Brazil's Atlantic coast.

Henrique Galvao is a colorful, 43-year-old independent with horn-brimmed glasses and a moustache. "Being my friend, he knows I will not turn over the ship to Portuguese authorities in any manner," he said.

Mr. Quadros said he is willing to bet that Galvao will sail the Santa Maria into Recife or Salvador about Wednesday, and "if this happens, I shall give him every guarantee" against internment. Recife is Brazil's third largest city. It is on the South Atlantic near the equator, about 500 kilometers from the port of Salvador.

The U.S. destroyer Wilkeson is supposed to rendezvous with the Santa Maria today at a point 80 km. off Recife. However, the destroyer failed to arrive on schedule on Saturday morning at the Amazon port of Belem where Rear Admiral Allen E. Smith, USN, is supposed to be waiting.

The outgoing Kubitschek administration decided on Saturday to offer Galvao political asylum if he entered Brazilian waters, but to turn the Santa Maria back to her owners, the Colonial Navigation Co.

Now those of the Arab States which oppose Arab unity most vocally are the ones most eager to revive the League. This is the natural, countries such as Iraq, Saudi Arabia, Tunisia, Jordan and the Lebanon have made it quite clear that they want the League to be strong and active, but in the full understanding that the single member-state can use it to promote its own ends, or to try to dominate fellow member-states. This is the real aim behind the Tunisian Foreign Minister, Sadek Mukaddem, that the League's Charter be revised during this week's meeting.

But this will not be the only subject to be discussed by the Ministers, though it may ultimately be the most decisive. In the absence of an agreed agenda, however, it is generally thought that such topics are to be included as Algeria, the Israeli "atom-bomb" scare, and Israel's alleged infiltration of the African continent. This does not, however, preclude the possibility of discussing the more explosive subjects of the "Palestine entity" and inter-Arab relations.

There is little, if any, prospect that a discussion over the status of "Palestine" can ever result in any positive decision, since the question is one of life and death for Jordan. If the conferees decide to accept Cairo's demand to proclaim Palestine as an "independent entity," this would mean, at least on paper, the dismemberment of the Jordanian Kingdom. It is therefore doubtful whether the Foreign Ministers, who show signs of wanting to make a success of their meeting, will tolerate a state of affairs wherein the Jordanian delegation would certainly walk out of the conference, if not worse.

Inter-Arab relations are another matter. If the Ministers can prevail upon the Egyptians to accept President Bourguiba's terms for participating in the conference, the meeting may well take a quite unexpected turn. Acceptance of the Tunisians' demands — that Cairo stop interfering in the affairs of other Arab countries or trying to dictate to them — would be tantamount to a full retreat on Nasser's part.

Two years ago such a development would have been unthinkable, but now that Nasser has lost so much ground in the pan-Arab field, the League may well succeed in asserting itself.

After midnight
An explosion occurred in the engine room of the British 30,000-ton tanker, *Rosa Durban*, about 50 miles west of Gibraltar, according to a radio message received last night.

IRA Destroy Bridge Near Ulster Border

BELFAST (AP). — Raiders yesterday blew up a bridge on the border with the Eire Republic near the country lane where a young Ulster policeman was shot to death two days ago.

The bridge, only 100 metres from a British customs post, connects the northern county of Fermanagh and Cavan. It collapsed into a river and cut the main road between the two counties.

The IRA campaign of violence along the border has been intensified since the British customs post was destroyed. Eight members of the IRA were killed in the attack.

The IRA is seeking union of Northern Ireland with Ulster, which owes allegiance to the British Crown. It admitted killing the policeman as a "British spy."

Macmillan Home After Paris Talks

PARIS (AP). — Prime Minister Harold Macmillan left London last night after a week of private talks with President Charles de Gaulle.

The conversations between the two leaders took place behind the high, guarded walls of the Chateau de Rambouillet, a favourite spot of de Gaulle for the kind of informal top-level talks he prefers.

No official statement was made on the talks, either by the British or the French. But Gen. de Gaulle and Mr. Macmillan were known to have ranged over the entire field of international relations.

Mr. Macmillan arrived Friday evening and stayed overnight at the British Embassy. On Saturday morning, Mr. Macmillan motored to Rambouillet to join President and Mrs. de Gaulle.

Gen. de Gaulle and Mr. Macmillan held two long conferences during Saturday.

The talks were renewed yesterday morning. After an hour of private conversation, they were joined by Premier Michel Debre. The talks resumed in the afternoon. This time, beside Mr. Debre, Foreign Minister Maurice Couveur-Murville joined in the conference.

The meeting adjourned late in the afternoon. (Car Dispatch, A. P.)

Von Horn Back

LYDIA AIRPORT. — General Carl von Horn, Chief of Staff of the UN Truce Supervision Organization, returned yesterday by Swissair to resume his post in Jerusalem. He had been away from the country since last July, when he was seconded to head the UN force in the Congo.

The General was received by UN Secretary-General Dag Hammarskjöld, who is believed to be that there is no prospect as yet of finding a mutually agreeable settlement.

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Ruanda Ruler Deposed, Republic Proclaimed

BRUSSELS (AP). — King Baudouin of Belgium yesterday proclaimed the Republic of Ruanda, a new state in the Belgian Congo. The Ruanda territory has been declared a republic, the king added.

The move was determined on Saturday afternoon at a meeting of Ruanda burgomasters and municipal councillors called to discuss measures aimed at maintaining public order.

Ruanda is the northern sector of the Belgian Congo territory, neighbouring the Ruanda territory. A provisional government was established there last November. Elections to a national assembly are due to be held there shortly.

Mr. Brown said his talks with Mr. Rusk will be only "normal" in view of the change in administration. He said the new administration would be a continuation of the previous one.

At the United Nations yesterday, Secretary-General Dag Hammarskjöld was reported to have suggested that Laos take a leading nationalist and one or two pro-Communists into its Government.

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Mr. Eban is to speak tonight at the UN. (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2)

Mapai Still Unable To Finish 'Affair'

TEL AVIV. — The Mapai Secretariat was yesterday unable to set a date for its special session which is supposed to seek an acceptable formula of compromise for the party's Central Committee, which is due to meet on Saturday.

The fact that Mr. Lavon is still suffering from a cold has been put forward as the reason for not calling the Secretariat. But the real reason is believed to be that there is no prospect as yet of finding a mutually agreeable settlement.

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No Talks Until Teachers Stop Strike—Eban

Jerusalem Post Staff
Education Minister Abba Eban said last night there would be no resumption of negotiations with the secondary school teachers so long as they continue their partial strike.

The teachers began cutting down on class hours yesterday after their demands for a 30 per cent global increase in salaries failed to secure immediate approval at a meeting last Friday with Mr. Eban and Finance Minister Eshkol.

Mr. Eban told the press yesterday that the action of the Secondary School Teachers' Association violated all accepted practices of negotiation. They had not been consulted with the proprietors and employers — the local authorities and the Union of Secondary Schools — before making their demands.

He said the increases demanded by the secondary school teachers were unprecedented. If linked to the pay of elementary school teachers, the increases would mean a 30 per cent increase for the secondary school teachers.

Mr. Eban met the press in Jerusalem after attending a hastily summoned meeting of the Ministry Executive and representatives of the Union of Secondary Schools and the Local Authorities Centre. He said the meeting unanimously condemned the Association's action.

Asked whether the meeting had decided on counter-measures, such as closing the schools, Mr. Eban said various suggestions had been discussed. It was still hoped, however, that the Association would cancel the meeting and return to orderly negotiations.

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Eshkol to Reply To Censure Motions

POST Political Correspondent
Finance Minister Levi Eshkol is to reply on behalf of the Government in the Knesset today to the censure motions submitted last week by Herut and the General Zionists in connection with the 'Affair'.

The two opposition parties claim that the repercussions of the 'Affair' make the Government unfit to continue in office.

Before the Knesset convenes, Mr. Eshkol is to meet with the Coalition Executive to appeal to the Coalition partners to support his right to make statements on the question of the 'Affair'.

He is expected to argue that such statements would be out of place since the 'Affair' has been resolved.

The question of separate statements by the Coalition partners was referred to the Coalition Executive after the question of the 'Affair' was raised at yesterday's Cabinet meeting.

At yesterday's meeting, Mr. Eshkol raised the question of last week's speech in the Knesset by Agriculture Minister Moshe Dayan. Mr. Ben-Aharon argued that an attack by a Minister on his Coalition partners in the Knesset is counter to proper Coalition procedure. If Mr. Dayan's speech was to be a precedent, Ministers from other parties might decide to follow suit.

The Cabinet resolved, however, that Mr. Dayan's speech was not meant as a precedent and considered the issue as closed.

The Knesset this week will also conclude the general debate (first reading) on the Budget, the debate on the Property Tax Bill which was introduced last week by the Minister of Finance, and the debate on the Ports Authority Bill, which was introduced last week by the Minister of Transport.

BURMESE CAPTURE FORMOSAN BASES
RANGOON (Reuters). — Burmese troops on Saturday captured the main bases of Chinese Nationalist troops near the Thailand and Laos border after a hard-fought battle.

League Ministers Begin Talks in Baghdad Today

Algerian Peace Is France's 'Firm Aim'

ALENCON, France. — The French Government is determined to reject no contact which offers the prospect of peace in Algeria. Minister of Information Louis Terrenoire said in a speech here yesterday.

In Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, yesterday, Ferhat Abbas, Premier of the Algerian Provisional Government, said the Algerians were peaceful towards any peaceful solution in Algeria must come from the French.

Speaking at a press conference, Abbas added that his Government had made clear time and again that it was ready to negotiate a settlement.

His attitude is clear. Since the French Government has recognized the right of the Algerian people to self-determination, let the people express their will. Our Government is willing to accept the decision of the Algerian people if it is expressed freely.

Abbas reiterated his view that the best way to ensure this would be for the UN to hold a referendum.

He said the French Government had tried to make fresh contact with him. Abbas replied: "We have had no contact since the abortive peace talks last June."

Abbas leaves today for Colombo on the last leg of his tour of Southeast Asia.

Rabat Acts Against Jewish Press

By MAURICE CARR
Jerusalem Post Correspondent
PARIS. — The Moroccan Government has taken the first step in what appears to be a campaign wholly to suppress the Jewish press.

The Jewish weekly "Trail d'Union" (the title means "Hyphen" — that is to say, the link between the Jewish and Moslem communities) which began publication last November has been ordered by the authorities to shut down. Its editor, M. Victor Malika, has been picked up by the police for investigation.

At the same time the Jewish Central Communal Organization has received an order to discontinue its monthly organ, "Voix des Communautés," which is to be withdrawn.

U.S. Jewish Veterans Protest to Morocco

WASHINGTON (AP). — The Jewish War Veterans of America have asked Morocco's King Mohammed VI to abandon what they called new adopted anti-Jewish policies.

The appeal was made in a letter from Mr. Joseph Barr, Executive Director of the J.W.V.A. to the Moroccan Ambassador here, El-Mehdi Ben-Ahmed, with the request that it be forwarded to the King.

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CAIRO STILL vs THE REST

The Ministers of Arab League states meet in Baghdad today with the UAR still at odds with Jordan and Tunisia. By last night Tunisia had still not announced any change in its decision to boycott League sessions.

Its Foreign Minister, Sadek Mukaddem, is still in Beirut, apparently awaiting word that Cairo has decided to end its subversive activities against his government.

For his part, Sadek Mukaddem has also not fully forgiven Egypt for its overt and covert attempts to bring down the Kassam regime.

Other member-states are reported to be planning to raise the question of the UAR's interference in their affairs.

The Beirut daily "El-Hayat" said on Saturday that several members will demand amendment of the League Charter so as to prevent interference in their affairs.

Last night, Cairo's Voice of the Arabs radio station violently attacked the Jordanian Government, accusing it of being imperialist. The station's political commentator said: "It should be known that the right to speak in the name of the Arab League belongs to the Arabs living in territory still bearing the name 'Palestine'."

Technically, the meeting is a resumption of the sessions held in Sittou, Lebanon, last September and which were adjourned when the U.N. began to debate Algeria.

The Algerian question still ranks high on the agenda, but a host of other questions are also to be taken up. These include French nuclear tests in the Sahara and a total boycott of France.

Of course there are a number of new questions which have arisen since the "Palestine question" of Israel's atomic potentiality, the Jordan River development scheme and the future of the Arab League.

Each delegation has its own pet topic. Moroccan Justice Minister Abdul Hekik Torres said his country's claim to newly independent Mauritania would be discussed while a spokesman of the Yemen delegation said it would raise its dispute with Britain over the British aggression had increased.

It was not known last night how long the conference will last. But Lebanese Foreign Minister Philip Takla said on Saturday night that he expected it to take a week.

Foreign Minister Mahmoud Fakhri of Egypt flew into Baghdad from Cairo yesterday in the company of Sudanese Foreign Minister Ahmed Khair and Belkacem Krumer, a member of the Algerian rebel "Provisional Government." (Reuters, AP.)

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